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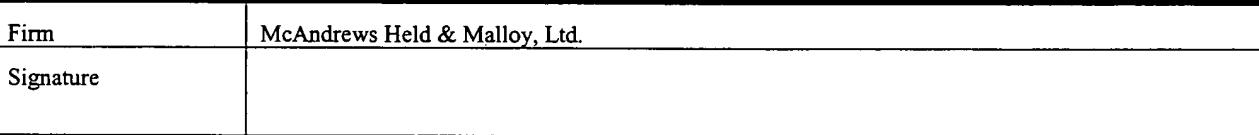
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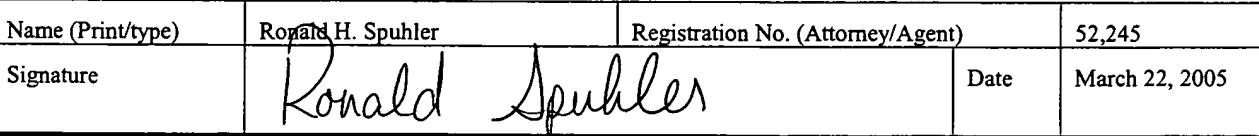
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In the Application of:

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Serial No.: 10/702,347

Filed: November 6, 2003

For: Mirror For Improved Visibility of
Danger Zone Area on Right Side of
School Bus

Group Art Unit: 3616

Examiner: Sikder, Mohammad Yunus

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ELECTION AND RESPONSE TO NOTICE OF RESTRICTION

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Dear Examiner Sikder:

This letter responds to the Office Action in the above-entitled application, mailed February 24, 2005 and allowing one month for a response. This response is timely because it is being filed within the period set for response, that is, prior to March 24, 2005.

Brief Summary

At issue is Patent Application No. 10/702347. The Examiner issued a notice of restriction, requesting that the Applicant elect to proceed either with Claims 1-13 or with Claims 14-17. While the Applicant respectfully disagrees with the Examiner's determination, the Applicant does not traverse the notice, and elects to proceed with Claims 1-13. The Applicant

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reserves the right to pursue at a later time divisional or continuation patent protection for Claims 14-17.